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MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents

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Re: Application of Takayuki ARAKI, Takuji ISHIKAWA and Meiten KOH
NOVEL FLUORINE-CONTAINING POLYMER, RESIST COMPOSITION
PREPARED FROM SAME AND NOVEL FLUORINE-CONTAINING
MONOMER

Assignee: **DAIKIN INDUSTRIES, LTD.**

Our Ref: Q80634

Dear Sir:

This is a request for a Continuation-in-Part Application of pending prior PCT International Application No. PCT/JP02/10242 October 2, 2002 of Takayuki ARAKI, Takuji ISHIKAWA, and Meiten KOH entitled NOVEL FLUORINE-CONTAINING POLYMER, RESIST COMPOSITION PREPARED FROM SAME AND NOVEL FLUORINE-CONTAINING MONOMER.

Attached hereto is the Continuation-in-Part Application comprising of 181 pages of the specification, including the claims and abstract, one (1) sheet of drawing, a copy of an executed Declaration and Power of Attorney, a copy of an executed Assignment and PTO 1595 form, and Information Disclosure Statement.

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

Total claims	<u>48</u>	-	20	=	<u>28</u>	x	\$18.00	=	<u>\$504.00</u>
Independent claims	<u>11</u>	-	3	=	<u>8</u>	x	\$86.00	=	<u>\$688.00</u>
Base Fee									<u>\$770.00</u>

TOTAL FILING FEE	<u>\$1962.00</u>
Recordation of Assignment	<u>\$ 40.00</u>
TOTAL FEE	<u>\$2002.00</u>

The Office is hereby directed and authorized to charge the statutory filing fee of \$1962.00 to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. You are also directed and authorized to charge or credit any difference or overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16, 1.17 and 1.492 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.



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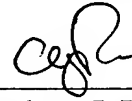
Priority is claimed from:

<u>Country</u>	<u>Application No</u>	<u>Filing Date</u>
Japan	2001-307823	October 3, 2001
Japan	2002-54964	February 28, 2002

The priority documents are submitted herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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